



MAYSVILLE, KY., MONDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1909.

ONE COPY—ONE CENT.



## SONG—"THE BACHELOR'S CHOICE"

Oh, the girl that I love,  
Must be mild as a dove,  
Her face must be wondrously fair;  
And her eyes must be blue,  
Of a heavenly hue,  
With bits of spun gold in her hair.

Oh, the girl I adore  
Must be twenty—no more,  
With figure of beauty and grace.  
Oh, her skin must be bright,  
And her teeth must be white—  
The tints of the dawn in her face.

The maid that I cherish,  
To love till I perish,  
Must love me in sunshine and snow;  
Must be laughing and gay,  
Let me have my own way,  
And know how to cook and to sew.

But the maid that I wed,  
After all I have said,  
May break my fond dreams quite to smash;  
Though I'll feel quite repaid  
If I get an old maid  
With millions of dollars in cash.

—Judge.

The annual report of the State Auditor shows that the Negro race owns \$13,000,000 worth of property in the State of Virginia.

Owing to the building not being entirely finished, the dedication of the new Colored High School Building, which had been set for the first Monday in January, has been deferred a week or two later. Due notice will be published of the exact date.

## To the Farmer . . .

If you are going to build or do any concrete work we can furnish what you need.

Brick, Lime, Sand, Cement  
Gravel, Wall Plaster  
and Lath, Etc.

You will need a supply of COAL for next Winter, which you will always find a good supply of the best quality at our yards.

Maysville Coal Co

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Christmas bargains at Gerbrich's.

The Christian Science congregation is preparing to build a Church at Lexington. This will be the first Church edifice of the kind in Central Kentucky.

Henry Berry, colored, who died Saturday at his home near Millcreek, after a few days' sickness with pneumonia, was buried this morning at 9 o'clock.

Fleming county wool growers have effected a temporary organization and will at once take up the work of pooling the 1910 crop in that county.

IT'S "AGE" MAKES WHISKY GOOD  
We sell 1902 Bottled in Bond "Old Time" for \$1 full quart.  
M. C. RUSSELL, Co.

The Public Ledger, local and long distance 'Phone No. 49.

Monuments Murray &amp; Thomas.

Jennie Bell, a fourteen-year-old girl, was burned to death near Owingsville by her clothing catching fire as she was warming at an open grate.

Go to O. H. P. Th  
Ky., for the best and  
Apple Brandy, Gin and Wine. Satisfaction  
guaranteed.

The two-year-old daughter of William Wills, East of Owingsville, was burned to death by her clothes catching fire from an open grate when left alone in a room.

Miss Jennie Porter of Covington arrived in Dover Monday and is at present visiting Miss Lena Jacobs. Miss Porter will make her stay here indefinite. Dover News.

The Kentucky State Historical Society at Frankfort will get the cannon captured by the Revolutionists from General Bargeyne, which has been in the State Arsenal at Frankfort for years.

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paid to the Uni...  
June 30th, 1909, was 58,747,880 barrels, a decrease of 2,444,183 barrels from 1908, or over 4 per cent.

## TOBACCO SALES

Despite the announcement in a recent issue of this paper that sales would be discontinued until January 4th, 1910, both warehouses, the Farmers and the Tack-Ito, will have sales on Wednesday, December 29th, 1909.

FILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS  
FASO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

We are now straightening out our stock.  
Watch for and read next "ad."  
Happy New Year.

## D. HECHINGER &amp; CO.

MAYSVILLE'S LEADING CLOTHING AND SHOE HOUSE.

WEST SECOND STREET.

The United States Court of Claims has decided that Bath county should be allowed \$4,500 for the Courthouse burned by the carelessness of Federal soldiers during the Civil War. It now only remains for Congress to appropriate the money.

Cartmell extracts teeth without pain.

The highest price for burley tobacco ever reached on the Lexington market was realized when a portion of the crop of Garrett Watts of Fayette county was sold at public auction at 36 cents a pound.

At the annual meeting of the Southern Educational Association at Charlotte, N. C., on December 28th, 29th and 30th, State Superintendent Crabbe is down on the program for an address on "Educational Progress in Kentucky."

Edward H. Mario, who once represented Newport in the Legislature, died at Jacksonville, Fla.

A Cleveland doctor lays criminality to poor teeth. An aching tooth is certainly not conducive to good citizenship.

## Seasonable Suggestions!

For Hog-Killing Time—Knives, Sausage Mills, Lard Presses, Lanterns.

For Cold Weather Driving—Robes, Blankets, Heaters, Gloves and Storm Fronts.

For Keeping the Horse Warm—Good Stable and Driving Blankets.

For Peace of Mind—Do your Christmas shopping EARLY.

For Your Own Price—or the asking—Leggings. We are determined to sell or give away every Legging in our store.

## Take Notice!

For every \$1 cash purchase and for every \$1 paid on account during the month of December you get TWO tickets entitling you to a chance on the

\$100 Buggy.  
\$50 Runabout.  
\$25 Set Harness.  
\$18 Saddle.  
\$10 Robe.  
\$5 Storm Front.

All to be given away January 1st, 1910. You won't have long to wait.

Mike Brown

The Deal Man.

Dr. John R. Collier, prominent Louisville Physician, is dead.

Benjamin Dillon, Chief of the Louisville Fire Dept., died yesterday.

Christmas entertainment of the Central Presbyterian Sabbath School will be held at the church next Thursday evening at 8:30.

Mr. Charles R. May and Miss Leona Agnes Jones of Poplar Flat, Lewis county, will wed tomorrow in Mt. Carmel, Rev. Clark officiating.

Governor Willson has almost completed his message to the Legislature, on which he has been working for nearly a week. The message will contain many suggestions for the good of the State that Governor Willson received the night at the last Governor's Conference.

Harry A. Schorber of Woodford county has withdrawn from the race for the Speakership of the House of Representatives during the forthcoming session of the Kentucky Legislature, leaving George S. Wilson of Union county with a virtually clear field.



## MRS. CATHERINE BIERLEY.

Mrs. Catherine Bierley, widow of the late John Bierley, died Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock at her home in East Aberdeen, aged 79 years, 9 months and 3 days.

She was born in Wurtemberg, Germany, March 27th, 1830, and came to this country in 1852.

She is survived by six children and three step-children—George and Emil Bierley of Mt. Giload, Henry Bierley of this city, Mrs. Caroline Fagan of Portsmouth and Misses Anna and Maggie Bierley of Aberdeen; step-children—Mrs. Henry Dersch of Maysville, Mrs. Kate Hamm of Portsmouth and J. C. Bierley of Greensburg.

The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock from her late home; interment in Charter Oak Cemetery.

Nearly a million dollars is asked by State Highway Commissioner Wonders for good roads in Ohio next year.

There were one hundred and eleven deaths of human beings from hydrophobia in the United States during 1908.

Don't worry about your Christmas gifts. Call at The Sallie S. Wood Drugstore.

Hampshire is the name of a new Postoffice established in Greenup county. It is located near Kanton Furnace and the distribution from the C. and O. is Quincy.

Rev. Thomas Glascock of Aberdeen has just closed a revival meeting at Blankenship, with thirty conversions.

Did you ever think you would like to give some poor family a lift and then find that they kept and fed four or five many cures?



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Saving Globe Stamps  
is Right Now.

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BIG REDUCTIONS IN ALL HOLIDAY GOODS, CLOAKS AND SUITS. It will pay you to buy now for next Christmas.

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## FINE CANDIES

At a very LOW price. FRUIT BASKETS bought here will please you and delight the receiver. Also save you money. OUR SELECTION OF CANDIES are pleasing the trade beyond our expectations. MINCEMEAT, PLUM PUDDING, CEREAL and the very best of EVERYTHING.

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